Service Date: February 13, 2006

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	)	UTILITY DIVISION
OF MOUNTAIN WATER COMPANY for	)	
Authority to Increase Rates and Charges for Water	)	DOCKET NO. D2005.4.49
Service to its Missoula, Montana, Customers	)	ORDER NO. 6644c
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF	)	UTILITY DIVISION
MOUNTAIN WATER COMPANY for Authority	)	
to Decrease Rates and Charges for Water Service	)	DOCKET NO. D2004.9.145
to its Missoula, Montana, Customers	)	ORDER NO. 6650b

## **ERRATA TO FINAL ORDER**

The Final Order issued February 3, 2006 in the above referenced dockets, inadvertently omitted the DONE AND DATED language under the "ORDER" on page 15. Please substitute the attached page 15 for the page 15 included with these Orders served on February 3, 2006.

## **ORDER**

Now Therefore It Is Ordered:

- 1. The Mountain Water rate change filing approved on an interim basis on October 1, 2004, an annual power cost tracker adjustment, is approved on a final basis and Docket No. D2004.9.145 is closed.
- 2. Mountain Water's annual power cost tracker adjustment tariff may be modified to include a "de minimus" provision as described at paragraph 11 of this Order.
- 3. Mountain Water's annual power cost tracker adjustment tariff is approved until the effective date of the final order in the next Mountain general rate case. If Mountain wants approval of that tariff beyond that date it should include a request and justification for such approval in its next general rate case filing.
- 4. Mountain Water should file a new tariff, or modify its existing main extension tariff, to indicate that developers are responsible for advancing the cost of fire hydrants, consistent with the method Mountain Water proposed in this docket.
- 5. The Stipulation between Mountain Water and the Montana Consumer Counsel, and the revenue requirement agreed to therein, is approved on a final basis, and Mountain should file tariffs consistent with that approval, including any adjustments agreed to by the parties in the Stipulation or on the record in this docket. These tariffs should continue the fire flow charge to the City of Missoula, subject to revision on a prospective basis, as described below.
- 6. The City's proposal to shift fire flow cost recovery from the City to Mountain Water customers is approved, effective at a time and with a rate design to be determined following implementation as described at paragraphs 44 and 45 of this Order.
- 7. Mountain is directed to make a filing on system metering as described at paragraph 43 of this Order.
- 8. Docket No. D2005.4.49 remains open for the purposes of receiving, processing and acting on the filings described at paragraphs 43-45. The City and the MCC remain parties to this docket.

DONE AND DATED this 1st day of February, 2006, by a vote of 3 to 0.